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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of :  
Luigi Pace, et al. : Confirmation No.: 8912  
Serial No.: 09/876,482 : Group Art Unit: 1751  
Filed: June 7, 2001 : Examiner: C. Boyer

For **PROCESS OF TREATING A CARPET WITH A  
COMPOSITION COMPRISING A ZEOLITE**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents

P. O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

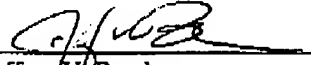
Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated May 20, 2003, for one month, from August 20, 2003 to September 20, 2003. Applicants authorize payment of the accompanying fee of \$110.00 from Deposit Account 16-2480. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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